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Maple Sugar Cakes as Currency.

Carrying out the Colorado bluff idea Senator Walcott asked the senate to pass a resolution calling on the secretary of the treasury to inform that body what sums have been paid or are due of bounties on maple sugar. He wanted to threaten Vermont, in particular, with the loss of her maple sugar bounty if her senators voted to repeal the silver purchase clause, as they will.

Senator Proctor, of Vermont, was ready with the information brought down to date and he cheerfully laid it before the senate for the special benefit of the Colorado buccannier, accompanying the graceful act with some remarks that made the senators smile. The Vermont senator said he had it on hearsay that maple sugar "adds a peculiar flavor to certain mixed compounds which makes them very tempting to the wayward appetite."

He thought that when the senator from Colorado became fully informed about this product he would ask to have an additional bounty put on it; "possibly he will even ask that the government shall take the whole product and have it coined into suitable cakes and put up in other proper subsidiary packages and given to senators and representatives to distribute among their constituencies. It will not require any motto 'In God We Trust' to be stamped upon it; neither will it need to be made a legal tender by law. I guarantee that it will pass current on its intrinsic value."

Of course this clever thrust provoked more laughter. The Colorado senator did not at that moment see his way clear to get back on the shrewd Vermont. If the government must buy the product of the Colorado silver mines why not the product of the Vermont maple sugar camps and the West Virginia maple sugar camps? After this Senator Walcott may not care to take any more maple sugar "in his'n."

We congratulate Mr. Cleveland. We also offer him condolence. His heart was set on a crown prince. But he might name the princess Groveria and hope for better luck next time.

Who Pays the Duty?

Mrs. Ernest Hart, the noble woman who has made so intelligent and determined an effort to relieve distress on the east coast of Ireland, has been before the ways and means committee. She asks that in the proposed tariff bill Congress come to the relief of the poor women whom she is trying to help and whose products must now pay a high duty to get into this country.

There is no means as yet of knowing what impression Mrs. Hart made on the majority of the committee. It is easy enough, however, to see that she made an error which may be fatal to the cause she pleads so eloquently. She should not have asked the remission or reduction of duties in the interest of the foreign working women she represents. That is by far too honest and too bold, and it suggests that the consumer does not pay the tax.

Mrs. Hart should have nerved herself to the point of saying that she appeared in the interest of the American consumer of the products of her Irish women, and she should have called the free traders of the committee to witness that the tariff duty falls on the said consumer as a blighting tax. That would have warmed the cockles of their hearts, and they would have seen their way clear to come incidentally to the relief of this good woman's foreign wage-earners.

Mrs. Hart meant well, but she didn't know the ways of our American free traders.

These white house physicians in waiting are not denying anything now.

American Labor's Plea.

Last week the workmen of Philadelphia engaged in the textile industries met and appointed a delegation of their own to go before the ways and means committee. The delegation appeared on Saturday. "Who sent you here?" impudently asked Free Trader Turner. "We came of our own free will; all statements to the contrary are false," replied one of the delegation. The free traders do not ask this question of representatives of foreign interests. They reserve it for the American workingman.

The textile representative said appealingly, "You wouldn't destroy all our industries for an experiment and then if it didn't work legislate to re-establish

the mills you had ruined." Another of the same delegation said, "We don't demand, we only plead. In what you are about to do give us, the American workmen, the benefit of the doubt."

These men and thousands more have felt already the sharp edge of free trade as a threat. They beg the Democratic party not to sacrifice them to a theory. They ought to be a powerful appeal. Certainly it is a pitiful one. What will Democrats in Congress do about it?

WANTED—A boy. Apply at the white house.

Mr. Faulkner's Silver Scheme.

It is believed that for the present the free coinage senators would be willing to "compromise" on Senator Faulkner's scheme and allow the passage of the repeal bill. As the case stands the free coinage cohorts are whipped to death. They would be glad to save something, anything.

Senator Faulkner offers them a triumph in the delusive guise of a compromise. He would have the treasury go on coining full legal tender silver at the present ratio until the aggregate of such dollars shall not be less than 800,000,000, and the coinage must be not less than 3,000,000 of those dollars a month. According to a treasury statement of August 16 last our stock of full tender silver is \$538,000,000.

Under Mr. Faulkner's proposition we would have to coin \$262,000,000 more. The rate of coinage might be faster than \$3,000,000 a month but could not fall below that. At that rate we would be going on with the coinage of the so-called dollar of silver for seven years and a half.

With silver bullion at its present market value this would be nearly as good a thing for the silver producers as they have now, and before the expiration of the coinage period they would hope to have their full demand granted. At all events they would be glad to have the respite and to take their chances.

Mr. Faulkner thinks the amount of new coinage he proposes would be readily absorbed "after the withdrawal of notes of less than \$10." The design of this withdrawal would be to force the people to accept less than sixty cents' worth of silver for a dollar and to keep the depreciated coin moving. In a parliamentary sense this scheme may be an amendment, as Mr. Faulkner calls it, to the pending repeal bill. In fact it would be a substitute radically changing the character of the repeal bill and defeating its object; which, of course, is Mr. Faulkner's purpose.

The passage of the bill with that amendment hitched to it would repeal the purchase provision of the act of 1890, but it would fall very far short of restoring confidence in our monetary system and would not satisfy the demands of the country. Our stock of gold is \$604,000,000. Mr. Faulkner would have us exceed this in full tender silver by \$200,000,000.

Silver men are fond of urging this country to emulate the example of France, in which there is really very little comfort for them. But France almost reverses the conditions which Mr. Faulkner would bring about in the United States. She has \$800,000,000 of gold and \$650,000,000 of full tender silver and will not have more.

Russia is counted among the silver countries, yet she has more than ten times as much gold as silver. Russia's per capita of silver is only fifty-three cents. Ours is \$9.18. We must go it stronger yet to please the silver men. Only France and the Netherlands have a larger per capita of silver than we have.

The best thing to be said of Mr. Faulkner's scheme is that it is likely to die a-borning. The repealers will not be caught in that trap.

ATTORNEY GENERAL OLNEY continues not to know that there are trusts.

Better Business.

The business of the country has just closed the most encouraging week it has had in three months. It is entering on a week that promises still better. Bank clearings reflect the increasing volume of trade.

The New York banks are getting back to their normal state. People who were asking big premiums for their ready money are beginning to seek six per cent. time loans, and this applies to some of the trust and insurance companies.

Farm products are quoted higher. There is more resumption in manufacturing and in many lines more inquiry for goods. In Wheeling the situation is very much improved and grows better every day.

One of these days we may hear from Washington what the fate of Hawaii is to be.

A HUNDRED lords who never sat there before harried to the house of lords to vote against the Irish home rule bill. That fact should make its impression. The classes are against the masses. What is the house of lords to the masses?

SENATOR PROCTOR is a humorist of the first order. Ask Senator Walcott if he isn't.

ELIWHIRE appear two gems from the recent speech of Senator Faulkner. To the school boy under ten years of age who will send in the best analysis of Gem No. 2 the INTELLIGENCER will give a fine goose quill pen. Articles entered in the competition must contain no sentence longer than 257 words. Longer sentences would place the senator at unfair disadvantage.

If you wait much longer before going to the fair you may have to wait before the gates for a chance to get in.

Tax cyclists have struck a lively pace with their meet arrangements. It is going to be a bigger affair than they expected in the beginning, and it will furnish Wheeling exhilarating diversion.

BREAKFAST BUDGET.

Three years ago the wood buffalo was supposed to have become extinct. Now it seems that last winter the Indians brought in from the Slave Lake and Fencio river districts 200 skins of the wood buffalo, some of them of unusual size and of fine quality. The theory is that the remnants of the great herds that roamed in the northwest found a feeding ground out of the route of Indians and hunters, multiplied greatly, and were driven south by the extreme cold of last winter.

Did you ever smash your watch crystal just when you could not possibly replace it? When it happens again shake out the broken glass, open the little rim that holds it—the bezel—lay over the face a piece of tissue paper and shut the bezel. This will save the hands from catching in things and not interfere with the going.

A peculiar growth for a stalk of corn was grown recently on the farm of Joseph T. Robinson, near Ringgold, Georgia. About the centre of the stalk, where the shoot first appeared, there matured a peculiar bushy ending about two feet long, on which there were nearly a hundred little ears the size of a man's finger.

A curious phenomenon has been discovered near Eddy, New Mexico. In Dark Canyon a number of tunnels were run in order to get a supply for the water works. The water was found running in small, natural pipes, made by the deposit of lime from the water.

The Smithsonian Institution in Washington has been enriched by an interesting collection of Korean musical instruments and articles used in native forms of gambling, the gift of Augustus Heard, consul at Seoul, Corea.

If but one virtue did adorn a king, it would be justice; many great defects are veiled thereby; whereas each virtuous thing in one who is not just the world suspects.

A tale which borders on the melodramatic is reported from Spokane, Wash. The dispatch tells of the hanging of old "Bill" Stobbins for murdering his second wife, by his son, who is the sheriff.

A boy has been born to a 17-year-old mother at Falkirk, Scotland. His grandmother is 30 years old, his great-grandmother 54 and his great-great-grandmother 83.

A niece of Patrick Henry was removed in the person of Mrs. Mary R. Garland Cabell, who died at Arundel-on-the-Bay, D. C., last Friday, in the 90th year of her age.

A copper token, the size of a silver dollar, issued by authority of the first Congress, and bearing the date "1770," is prized very highly by Captain G. W. Bullene, of Seattle, Wash.

For fear that some rival chemist would imitate his invention, a Louisville chemist who had patented an ink eraser, has destroyed the formula.

A trunk differs from a man in that it can be completely strapped without becoming broke.—Buffalo Courier.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Gen. Cassius M. Clay, of Kentucky, who will complete his eighty-third year in October next, says that he has never indulged much in stimulants, not using spirits, coffee, or tea habitually. Tobacco he has always eschewed. He has required nine hours' sleep nightly all his life long, and in these latter years permits himself to get even more than that.—New York Times.

Ex-Senator Thomas W. Palmer has presented to the city of Detroit, for park purposes, a farm of 100 acres which was entered by his grandfather in 1820, and has been owned by the family ever since. Twenty acres more are to be added to the park when a boulevard shall have been completed.

The queen of Holland celebrated her fourteenth birthday a few days ago. By her special desire the public festivities on this occasion took the form of school treats on a very large scale.—New York Tribune.

"Lord Brassey," says the London Court Journal, "would make an excellent viceroy of India. He possesses great administrative ability, has a charming manner and is extremely wealthy, while Lady Brassey would make an admirable vice-queen."

The queen consort of Siam owns a wonderfully beautiful tumbler. It is shaped like a lotus and made of solid gold studded with diamonds. The gems are so arranged that they form the lady's name and the date of her birth and marriage.

Lord Delamere is having splendid sport in Africa. He has, together with the gentleman who is shooting with him, made a bag of 21 old elephants, four small ones, 25 lions, four cheetahs and one leopard, besides several warthogs and antelopes. Nice little bag.—Baltimore News.

In society the German emperor is said to be charming to meet. There is about him a sincerity and simplicity altogether refreshing. He speaks excellently, having been taught the language as a child from his mother and nurse.

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TWO GEMS OF ORATORY.

Two Sentences From Senator Faulkner's Speech on Silver and Things.

Two sentences from the speech of Senator Faulkner, delivered in the senate September 8, are striking. The first, 140 words long, is less striking by 117 words than the second, which is 257 words long. The speech was written out before delivery, so that none of its peculiarities are to be attributed to the "heat of debate." Perhaps the first class in rhetoric may be able to discover what the 257-word sentence means:

GEM NO. 1.

But, sir, if after a full, fair and respectful consideration of the views of the President, I shall honestly differ with him in his conclusions, and find myself unable to follow to the full extent on the line he may have indicated, I could not surrender my convictions and blindly pursue the path that my judgment did not approve without being deeply sensible of the fact that I was unworthily occupying a seat in this, the most august deliberative body in the world, and feel that the time had come when I should surrender the trust which had placed in my keeping, that some one of the many true and manly sons of which my state is justly proud might occupy the place which my weakness had forfeited and my duplicity had dishonored.

GEM NO. 2.

Mr. President, as an humble member of the Democratic party who has been taught as part of his political creed that gold and silver constituted the only legal tender money authorized by the constitution of his country; who represents in part a state that when, in 1873, the political crime of the century was consummated by the federal Congress in the demonetization of silver, exercised its clear constitutional power by clothing the white metal with all the functions and powers of full legal tender within the boundaries of its territory, the representatives of whose Democracy, in every state and congressional convention, with an enthusiasm and unanimity that would brook no opposition, have again and again given the pledged faith of the party to the final restoration of silver as a standard of value, and who, personally, upon every stump, in every county of that state, in the two bitterly contested campaigns of the recent past, indorsed the principles announced in those platforms, and gave his promise to redeem the pledges, made in good faith by the representatives of an intelligent and earnest Democracy, can not with honor entertain the suggestion that he should not only decline to vote for the full and complete rehabilitation of silver, as provided for by the platform adopted at Chicago, but that he should go a step further, and refuse to cast his vote for any amendment to the bill pending before the senate that would recognize, even in the most limited form, silver coin as a standard of value.

WIT AND WISDOM.

Mr. Van Clive—"Do you know, I've wanted that lovely old chair of yours ever since I first saw it?" "Mabel (demurely) The furniture and I go together." Mr. Van Clive—"Oh, in that case I'll call to-morrow with a carriage and express wagon." Polly—"Ah, but she didn't say they went to the first bidder."—Vogue.

Benevolent Party—"My man, don't you think fishing is a cruel sport?" Fisherman—"Cruel? Well, I should say so. I have sat here six hours and I have not had a bite, been nearly eaten up by mosquitos, and the sun has parboiled the back of my neck."—Shamokin Republican.

Uncle Upcreek—"There hain't been a trout in that there creek for thirty year; now our new boarder is pullin' on 'em out as fast as he can drop in." Mrs. Upcreek—"That's what comes of advertising our trout fishing in the religious papers; they can't lie, nohow."—Puck.

"What brought you here, my good man?" asked the benevolent city missionary. "Two cops," replied the tough convict. "Hain't drink something to do with it?" "Coit'ney, dey was both loaded."—Philadelphia Record.

Old Bullion—Never lose your self respect, my son, and remember that every man owes something to himself. Young Bullion—It isn't that that bothers me; it's what I owe other people. —Philadelphia Record.

Tell a man passionately in love that he is jilted, bring a score of witnesses of the falsehood of his mistress, and it is ten to one but three kind words of hers shall invalidate all their testimonies.—Locke.

Muggins—I met a man who had been out in Chicago three weeks and never once saw the fair. Muggins—He must have been an idiot. Muggins—No, he was merely blind. —Philadelphia Record.

"Why do they say 'he blew in his money'?" "Because, when he who does it realizes what he has done it is a great blow to him." "Oh, I see, and then I suppose he feels blue."

"Were you loaded?" "I suppose so; I found my pockets were rifled."—Binghamton Leader.

Madam Rumor seems to have no trouble in getting currency.—Dallas News.

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His Murderer was a Relative of Tippeco Tib—How He Was Slain.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—The Standard publishes further letters from an officer connected with the Victoria Nyansa expedition. The letters confirm the story of the killing of Emin Pasha, and say the murder occurred near the Luabula river, about February 20. Emin Pasha at that time was accompanied by a small tribe of natives, and was proceeding in the direction of Stanley Falls.

The Europeans and native allies engaged, February 20, in a tremendous battle with hostile natives. Emin Pasha appeared in front of his force, and was at once recognized by Saidie, the commander of the native tribesmen and a relative of Tippeco Tib, who was acting under orders from Moharra, Tippeco Tib's brother. Saidie rushed at Emin Pasha and cut off his head with a bent knife. Saidie, who is a desperate fighting man, afterward took part in the massacre of Emin Pasha's forces, and later partook heartily of the roasted remains of his victims.

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